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Grandmother Feagan To Be Honored By Open House Dec. 17

The Herald has information from Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Funk of Rotan, that they are honoring their mother, Mrs. J. H. Feagan with an open house reception on Wednesday, December 17, from 3:00 P. M. to 6:00 P. M.

December 17th is Mrs. Feagan's 90th birthday and plans are for all of her children to be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Funk, at noon for a reunion birthday celebration. In the afternoon from three to six o'clock there will be open house for the friends of Mrs. Feagan and the family, and it will be an especial pleasure for this noble woman pioneer to greet as many as possible.

Mrs. Funk will be assisted in the house party by her sisters, Mrs. W. B. Fletcher of San Angelo and Mrs. Otto Williams of Dalhart, Texas. The two sons, Jim Feagan of San Angelo and Elmer C. Feagan of Hamlin complete the list of the surviving children.

Mrs. Feagan is a native of Virginia. She and her husband, the late J. H. Feagan, were pioneer settlers of this county, coming to Hamlin about 1885.

Pied Pipers Wallop

Aspermont 33 to 0

Last Friday night on the home field, Hamlin High foot ballers beat the Aspermont team by a decisive score. The game was closely contested, but the Pipers had too much stuff for the inexperienced team.

The Pipers have an open date this week but next week the final game will be with Anson at Anson. This will probably be a battle royal all the way through.

Miss Kathryn Gardner, who has been in the Clerical Department at Camp Howze, has come home to take a position as teacher in the public schools of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith of Houston came up Friday for their little daughter Benita, who has been in Hamlin with the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith the past month. Irvin says they are launching their 95th ship at this yard. They are all alike and carry 10,500 tons—and more ships are being built.

Hitson Community Raised War Fund

Monday Billie Gray, chairman of the Hitson Victory Club and War Fund Drive, was in to report that his community went \$51.77 over their quota of \$100 for the community.

Last Friday night they had an old fashioned box supper and besides raising \$151.77 they all had \$500.00 worth of fun. Boxes brought good money, one going for \$16.50 and one pie brought \$9.00. They all bought liberally; they all ate heartily, and they all laughed and talked. A Mexican string orchestra furnished the music and had as much fun as anybody. The main point that everyone kept in mind was that they were there to donate for a lot of good causes. But a little fun was mixed all along. A cake walk proved very interesting, but when they began to vote on who had the largest feet, it was found that Henry Plemons' feet carried and his feet brought \$10.02—some feet! Both together made two feet! Anyway, it all proved fun to do something good for the various Emergency Reliefs.

HEAR TWO MISSIONARIES FROM PERU AND CHINA AT THE MT. ZION CHURCH

Rev. Wyman from Peru, accompanied by Rev. W. B. Walker, district superintendent, The Nazarene Church, will lecture Friday evening Nov. 12th.

Then Rev. A. K. Reiton, who with his family, was in China when Hong Kong fell, and held prisoners by the Japs several months, will speak at Mt. Zion Saturday evening, November 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henson and children came down from Lubbock on Thursday of last week to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henson near McCaulley.

Mrs. Alvin C. Hudson, wife of Sgt. Alvin Hudson, came in last week from Garden City, Kansas, and will likely remain in Hamlin till her husband is back from the war.

Mrs. Earl Smith (formerly Miss Craigolene Elmore) came home from Belleville, Ill., last Saturday for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Elmore. Her husband, Pfc. Earl Smith is in the air force service at Scott Field, Illinois.

Hamlin Starts War Chest Drive Tuesday, Nov. 16th

Hamlin community, with Mayor Joe Culbertson as chairman for the United War Chest Fund, will start Tuesday, November 16, to raise its part of the Jones County quota of \$11,579, and Hamlin's part is \$1,750.

Committees have been appointed to make a hurry up canvass for funds next Tuesday. To raise \$1750 will require some liberal giving. Don't argue with the committee. Every man or woman is as busy as you, and they need to be prolonged.

and get a needed job done. To raise that much money in one day is making a record, and if it is not raised the campaign will have to be prolonged.

Already many counties, in fact nearly a hundred, have raised their quotas. There are 17 participating agencies to participate in this giant national War Fund of \$125,000,000. This is a good time to rally to the needs of humanity, which means every American boy and girl in serv-

Mt. Zion Church Welcomes Everybody

Friday night, Nov. 12, the Mt. Zion church will have two visiting ministers. District Supt. of the Nazarene church, Rev. W. B. Walker and Rev. W. A. Wyman, who recently returned from Peru.

This promises to be an unusual evening of worship and inspiration, and we invite every one who can come to be with us.

W. J. Campbell, Pastor

Grandpa P. E. Smith Honored At Church

Maybe our "kid" friend, P. E. Smith will pardon us for using the word Grandpa, for indeed when a man has reached 89 years and still goes out on the streets every day and to church every Sunday night, it is remarkably unusual.

Mr. Smith says since they moved up the time he can't make it to his church these Sunday mornings. That means he is still unusual for many people do not go to church services Sunday nights.

Last Sunday night at the Nazarene church, the Young People dedicated the entire program to Bro. Smith. For this he is very grateful, and he wants all of his friends to know it. Over 70 years ago he became a Christian and has enjoyed all religious services. His father was a Baptist preacher in Georgia.

The kindness shown Mr. Smith by the Young People's program, made him deeply grateful. He says "We still got some good young people, and it is our duty to try to help and encourage them."

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The First BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY:

10:00 Sunday School
7:00 Training Union
8:00 Evening Service

MONDAY:

G. A., R. A. and Sunbeam meetings at church, 4:30 P. M.
Y. W. A. meeting, 7:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY:

Prayer Meeting, 8:00 P. M.

As Thanksgiving season draws near, we are ever conscious of those things for which we are thankful. The greatest of these is the great joy of religious freedom. If you have gotten out of the habit of attending church, you are missing a blessing. Why not attend the church of your choice next Sunday, and give thanks to God for His many blessings? If you will, we would be happy to have you worship with us on the Sabbath day.

B. J. Martin, Pastor

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Hobbs N. M., are spending the week here with their mother, Mrs. R. M. Hudson and to be here while their brother, Sgt. Weldon Hudson is at home on his furlough.

Mrs. H. L. Norris of Idalou, came down Tuesday to visit with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Green, who is ill and very feeble at her home in northwest Hamlin. Mrs. Green is one of Hamlin's pioneer women, a charter member of the First Baptist church.

Spruill L. Dean Died In Rotan Hospital

Spruill Dean, farmer and oil field worker, of the Swedonia community, died at the Rotan hospital at 12:50 A. M., Tuesday, November 9, after a very short illness. He was 44 years 8 months and 17 days of age.

Information is that on Friday before his death he was at an oil well and worked late at noon, and when he came home he complained that he must have breathed some gas, as he had been very dizzy and was sick at his stomach. He again took a fainting spell as he started to the table. His wife rushed him to the Rotan Hospital and there they at once pronounced him serious, but after a time he showed much improvement and by Monday afternoon they thought he would be up and back at work in about ten days.

Survivors are his wife and three daughters, Rita Jo, Dorothy Bill and Shirley Ann. Also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dean, and four brothers, Robert of California; W. W., a member of the Seabees in Alaska; Lieut. Travis of Hobbs Army Air Base; and Alton Dean, a sailor somewhere on the Pacific. Also five sisters survive, Mrs. W. L. Splawn of Poteet, Texas; Mrs. W. R. Redus of McCaulley; Mrs. Geo. Miller of San Angelo; Mrs. Jess Long of Kenmore, New York, and Mrs. Lott Shell of Hamlin.

Mr. Dean was a native of Denton County, Texas.

Funeral services were held at the Swedonia auditorium by Rev. Dan Jones of Hamlin and Rev. S. L. Reeves of Abilene, an old time friend of the family. The Barrow company had charge and interment was in Hamlin East Cemetery.

Mrs. W. B. Hampton underwent a major operation in the Abilene Hospital on Monday of last week and was able to return home Tuesday day of this week.

Mrs. Dan Jones left Monday for Pearl, Texas, to be with her father who is seriously ill. He was considered so serious a son, Capt. Gordon C. Shook was called from his air field in New Jersey.

Miss Dorothy Herring is visiting her brother, Charles and wife in Houston this week.

Miss Geraldine Helms of Kingsmill, spent the week end in Hamlin visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Craig Elmore is visiting her sister, Mrs. Graveley in Macon, Ga., for a week or more.

Read the book, UNDER COVER, At The Book Shop.

THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF
THAT

ARMISTICE DAY—Yes, this is November 11, 1943. It is far different to that day of 1918. It does not seem so long ago since our men were in the mud and death of Europe. Fighting stopped and a bedlam of joy rang through every community in America....the boys were coming home!

—Today half-hearted celebrations—a day of let-down in the middle of a new struggle of death, a hundred times broader and more terrible than in 1918, is being enacted in many communities of America. By

tomorrow this day will have passed into history, and be forgotten as November 11, 1943. But on a hundred battle fields, this day over the world will never be forgotten by our men who are struggling to bring on another Armistice Day....no not an armistice, but a real peace backed up by the continued power of arms to prevent some radical aggressor dictator from butchering the world again....this day, called now "Armistice" is one of mingling feelings....it is making some sad and humble; some glad and gleeful; some sincerely prayerful for every boy, and the spirit of fight wells up in many hearts to fight and fight to win a real victory of peace....for this paper we must say "Don't stop, let's press on and work and long for another chance at a New Day that will be ever fresh in the minds and hearts of freedom loving peoples of the world"....then Nov. 11th will give way to a new date.

Mrs. B. S. Ferguson spent part of last week in the good old woods of East Texas visiting her brother, John S. Hopkins at Warren, Texas, and relatives in Beaumont, Lufkin and Jasper.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sellers and daughter returned from New Orleans where they spent a week with their sailor son, Mack Sellers, who is training as a Metalsmith. They were accompanied by Miss Billy Jo Cooper.

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Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
N. Y. P. S. meets at 7:30 P. M.
Program subject, "The Church."

Evening Service at 8 o'clock.

W. F. M. S. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 P. M.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 8:00 P. M.

We urge you to attend church next Sunday and every Sunday.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

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Big Questions

Labor, Wages, Prices

QUESTION? Yes, what is your question?

So often we hear folks ask "What about this and what about that?"

One question that is being asked: "What is meant by the 'Little Steel Formula'?" Now that is a good question. Not many of us really know what is meant by 'Little Steel' much less what does the expression "Little Steel Formula" mean.

There is somebody in Washington who can answer a lot of the puzzling questions the folks in communities like Hamlin would like to have cleared up. Much of the fuss and grumble about what the government is doing, or wants to do could be made clear if only little explanation could be had. Now if we could know exactly what is meant by "Little Steel Formula", then we might have a better understanding why labor over the nation is objecting to the "Formula". O yes, most of us know the Little Steel Formula has something to do with labor and wages, but what?

Here is another thing all of us should know: Labor in this country, wherever organized, rules what is done. If you live in a city where labor is organized, you can't even build a small house without catering to labor. There's the various labor departments, the carpenters, shinglers, or roofers, plumbers, the painters paper hangers, electricians and cement artists...all so cemented together that the fellow who has the work done, must pay union men, and pay their scale, and for their hours, and comply with several con-

ditions. If one does not like that, do not have any work done or move out where labor is not organized for its protection. Facts are facts and we have to face them. If you want skill, experience, to make something that is dependable, either employ those who have the "know" and pay them for what they ask or risk ten times more than what it costs. So regardless of who the man is, be he president or just Mr. Anybody, they are helpless and will pay the price instead of forcing somebody to do a complicated job. A complicated piece of machinery built by forced or grudging labor would be too risky. In war times we can not take risks. It is just like any man who is expecting a new baby and has no place for his family...it is an emergency, now and pay the price or do without.

Back to the "Little Steel Formula" . . . Back yonder several months ago, in fact in 1942, Congress provided for the WLB (War Labor Board) whose duty it was to try to regulate increases in wages, hours, etc. The steel workers wanted a raise and finally it was agreed by all parties to set their increase at 15 per cent above what they were receiving on Jan. 1 1941. So the WLB took this as a standard in settling other wage claims. (A yard stick that did not measure fairly).

It is just a big problem to square everything all over the nation by anyone set rule, and please everybody. It can't be done. Maybe it could be exactly fixed by the kickers

under a definite contract on January 1, 1941 and had to continue it till March 31, 1942. The Formula caught them in a hole and others likewise, hence if it was followed, one group of labor would get a rate out of proportion to the increase of living.

SYLVESTER NEWS ITEMS

By Merrena Vaughan

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Mauldin visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mauldin.

Dr. C. W. Williams is back in town after spending the past few months in San Diego, California. Welcome back, Doc.

Pvt. James Pursley of Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, visited the past week with his mother, Mrs. A. W. Pursley.

Mrs. A. J. Griffin, Mrs. J. C. McHaney and Mrs. J. M. McHaney were in Abilene last Wednesday on business.

On Monday sad news was received by the friends of J. W. Adkins, of his death on November 7th.

Mr. Adkins, better known by his friends as Uncle Bud, owned and ran a grocery store here for a number of years. He will be missed by everyone, even though he was living with his brother in Tyler, Texas.

James Wilder is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pope. James has finished his boot training in the Navy. Sorry James I don't know your rating, but good luck.

W. B. Sexton was called suddenly to his sister's bedside who is seriously ill in Corsicana.

The Sylvester Cardinals won over the Trent team on Friday, 28 to.

The High school pupils were entertained with a Sadie Hawkins Party last Friday night in the home of Finis Sexton. A good time was reported by all.

Rev. W. F. Gaede, methodist pastor, is away attending the Methodist conference in Lubbock.

Rev. T. M. Harrell, Baptist pastor, is away attending the annual Baptist convention in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Edwards and Jean of Sweetwater, also Mrs. Sam Houston of Dallas, visited relatives here over Sunday.

Luther Maberry of McCaulley has purchased the river farm belonging to W. R. Moffett.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Everheart is visiting in Washington at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Gray of Fort Worth visited relatives over the past week end.

The gin tank has been enlarged so it will hold water the year 'round in case it ever rains.

The foot ball team will meet the McCaulley team on Friday.

Mrs. Burns McKinney is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beck.

Mrs. Frances E. Harrison of Hamlin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beck over Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Morris of Los Angeles is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Martin.

Just received the much discussed book, UNDER COVER, at The Book Shop.

About Soldiers--Sailors

SOME FURLough GREETINGS
One of our soldier friends sends in a batch of sentences, gathered from the men who had heard these furlough greetings "back home".

"My, how nice you look in your uniform. Stand over here in the light so I can see you better."

"So you're what's defending me!"

"You've certainly filled out since you got in the army. You must certainly get awful good food."

"You may as well stay home at night while you are here. All the girls are either married or gone off to work in defense plants."

"How come you've been in nine months and only one stripe?"

Hawaii T-S James P. Charles

S & S

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lauderdale, who live near McCaulley, are making their soldier sons a present of the Herald for Christmas gifts. One son, Cpl. Sherman V. Lauderdale, wrote them on Oct. 22 from what we would judge Italy, that he was doing fine, had been into town and had seen one of the most beautiful theatres in the world, enjoyed the show, and that he had received two letters that week from home.

The other son Pfc. Curtis P. Lauderdale, is in Australia, and his letter was dated Oct. 24. He also is getting letters right along from home. Curtis said he was going to a base ball game that afternoon and one of the teams was an All-Texas bunch, therefore it should be a good game. Both of these young fellows are deeply interested in what Dad is doing back home. (Well boys, here's hoping that your Herald gets to you in due time. Your Dad looks quite game and is proud of you. He is still smiling. He said he was just as proud of his girls as his soldier boys—and he should be. Stay in there boys, it looks like our armies are doing a great job both in Europe and in the Pacific Islands).

S & S

Aviation Lieutenant M. Y. Wilson and his wife came in for the week to see their mother, Mrs. M. Y. Wilson while on their way to Salt Lake City, where the Lieut. will train with larger planes.

S & S

Cpl. Weldon J. Hudson from Camp Beale, Calif., is here on a fifteen days furlough with his mother and other relatives.

S & S

Pfc. Pat Marlow of the Bryan Air Field was in Hamlin the first of the week with his wife and little son, Don G. They had spent his furlough time with Mrs. Marlow's mother, near Crowell. Pat was the popular manager of the Safeway Store before volunteering for the air ground forces about 14 months ago.

S & S

Lieut. and Mrs. Loren Griffin of Fredericksburg, Va., came in this week on a leave from the Marines to visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague.

S & S

Read John Roy Carlson's book, UNDER COVER, at The Book Shop

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Mrs. Roy W. Layton of Midland is a guest of her sisters, Mrs. O. K. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson this week.

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Mrs. J. Herchell Hubbard of Neindia is making her sister, Mrs. Park D. Wheat of Dallas, a present to the Herald, for another year.

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Mrs. L. R. Williams at Kewanee, Mo., who formerly lived at Neindia, is going to receive the Herald as a birthday gift, as a remembrance of Mrs. J. F. Tollison. She has been in Missouri about three years.

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Woman's Literary Club

The Woman's Literary club met Friday, Nov. 5 in the home of Mrs. Henry Albritton. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. W. A. Albritton.

Mrs. R. D. Moore, treasurer, reported we had enough money to buy another \$100 War Bond. She was instructed to do so.

Mrs. Bowen Pope was director of a very interesting program on International Relations. She brought a most interesting paper on "Can the U. S. Have Peace After the War?" Mrs. Wallace Walton brought a paper on "How Strong is Japan?" There were 27 members present.

—Reporter

Birthday Dinner

A birthday dinner was given in honor of Gerald Don Renfro, Sunday, Nov. 7, in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Renfro.

Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Renfro, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley and sons, Jake and Elvin; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cooley and sons, David and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cooley and son Aubrey Wayne, all of Hamlin. Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Hankins, pastor of Dovie church, of Abilene.

Calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bagley of Radium and Mr. and Mrs. Voy Moore of Hedges.

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Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McWright are announcing the marriage of their niece, Marie Holley, of Abilene to Pvt. Horace Carraker of Gainesville, on Saturday, Nov. 6. The ceremony was read by the Rev. B. J. Martin, pastor of the Hamlin First Baptist church, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McWright.

The bride is a 1943 graduate of the Hamlin High school. She is a daughter of Mr. Ernest Holley of Royston. Pvt. Carraker is with the Camp Barkley training detachment. The couple will make their home in Abilene.

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Mrs. T. J. Nall and daughter, Miss Ray, spent the past week end in Woodrow visiting with her son, Tom Nall and wife.

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Approaching Marriage Announced

Mrs. M. T. Hudson entertained in her home Thursday evening, November 4, with a party announcing the approaching marriage of her daughter, Joyce, to Lieut. Earle C. Misener, son of Mrs. E. C. Misener, of Oakland, California. The wedding will take place on Nov. 14 at the Hamlin Methodist church.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of blue and gold were attractively used in room decorations and party appointments. Yellow chrysanthemums in blue vases were placed at vantage points in the entertaining rooms. The honoree was wearing a velvet frock of army blue and a corsage of talisman roses, with an arrangement of the same flowers in her hair.

Mrs. E. M. Wilson welcomed guests and directed them to the receiving line which included Mrs. M. T. Hudson, Miss Joyce Hudson, Mrs. Albert Box Jr., of Abilene, Misses Herbie Faye Johnston and Clydene Wilson, Mrs. Hefflin Miller, Mrs. John Waltrip Jr. of Abilene, Mrs. H. L. McBride and Miss Edwina Gilbert.

Miss Eleanor Temple directed to the hall where Miss Susanne Hudson presented tiny blue envelopes which carried the announcement, "Joyce and Earle, Nov. 14, 1943," written in gold.

Miss Odell Johnson of Abilene was in charge of the bride's book which was a gift from Mrs. J. M. Harlowe, of Coleman, who is a cousin of the honoree. The book cover of white satin was fashioned into a large heart tied with gold and blue streamers; across the top of the heart was a band of blue which carried the names Joyce and Earle inscribed in gold.

Other members of the house party were Miss Pearl Hudson, Mrs. W. D. Johnson of Abilene, Mrs. A. Hudson, Mrs. Jim Hudson, Mrs. Fred Britton and Mrs. Henry Jackson.

Presented on program were Mrs. L. H. McBride, who sang Because, and Mrs. Hefflin Miller who gave a musical interpretation of That Old Sweetheart of Mine; both were accompanied by Miss Edwina Gilbert.

A toast to the bride was given by Miss Herbie Faye Johnston, and Miss Clydene Wilson toasted The Girls Left Behind.

An attractive refreshment plate in which were featured the chosen colors was passed by the hostess and members of the house party.

Other Abilene guests were Misses Marie Keesee, Mozelle Atwood, Alma Balkum and Mrs. Ena Harding.

Miss Hudson who is an employee at the quartermasters office at Camp Barkley, has been honored with several pre-nuptial affairs in Abilene.

Hamlin Garden Club Looks to Another Year

The Hamlin Garden Club met Friday afternoon, Oct. 15, at the Hamlin Hotel, with Mrs. D. D. Harden hosts.

Mrs. W. C. Russel gave an interesting talk expressing her hopes and aspirations for the club the coming year, stressing planting flowering shrubs for lasting beauty.

Members responded to roll call with "What bloomed in my yard in July and August." It was interesting and surprising to hear the number of flowers listed that bloomed in spite of the intense heat and drought of the past summer.

Mrs. H. O. Cassle, director of the program, gave an interesting talk on a "Year 'Round Lawn." She was assisted by several members who supplemented her talk with their personal experience in this phase of work.

Mrs. Harden discussed "Annuals to be Planted in the Autumn."

Each member brought a flower or vegetable arrangement from their yard or garden. Among the flowers displayed were lovely dahlias, gladiolas, roses and numerous other autumn flowers. The vegetable collections included green beans, new potatoes, peppers, lettuce onions, turnip greens and a golden pumpkin, all attractively arranged.

Do you have a hobby?
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—Reporter

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FLAT TOP NEWS

By Winnell Schrimsher

The Defense meeting met Nov. 2. Games were played under the direction of Mrs. Charlie Carter. The program committee for our next meeting date, November 18th, will be Mrs. Clinton Packwood and Mrs. Earl Brown.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown and family over the week end were Mr. Sam Tindal and family of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Green and son of Merkel, and Mr. W. S. King of Littlefield.

L. A. Hill and family visited Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Greenway of Hamlin Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Holmes spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Harrell and family of Abilene.

Mark De Hart of Arizona is visiting his sister, Mrs. Charlie Carter and family.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Holt assisted by Miss Stevens and Miss Harmonson of Hardin-Simmons, directed a study course at the church Saturday night and Sunday. About thirty students enrolled.

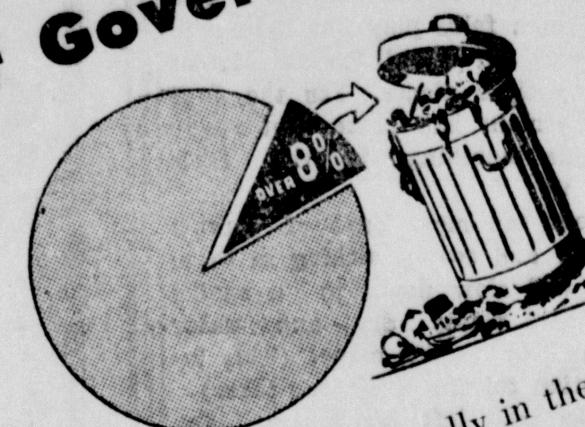
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bruner and family of Stamford visited Larry Holmes and family Sunday.

Mr. Petty and family of Avoca visited Mr. W. B. Whitley and family Sunday.

Hamlin War Chest Drive November 16

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Your Government Says:



Enough food is wasted annually in the home to feed the larger part of our armed forces at home and abroad. This waste must be reduced by better meal planning, better food storage. If waste is cut down by one-third, we could add more than eight percent to our food supply.

**CLEAN your plate, Patty!**

You and all other American boys and girls have a big part in the job of making the food our farmers are producing go just as far as it will in feeding our Army, our civilians, and in helping to feed many of our Allies. If you waste only one piece of bread a week, just imagine what a lot of food waste that would be if all the people in our country did the same.

This is why Mother wants you to be sure and eat all she serves you. If you want more, ask for seconds. With her gas refrigerator, Mother has a good place to keep left-overs for use in nourishing soups, stews, and special dishes.

CUT FOOD WASTE**Plan Right****Cook Right****Eat Right**

1. Know the seven basic food groups and plan your meals from them.
2. Plan by the week so that two or more protein foods will not be included in the same meal.
3. Plan a vegetable plate or a nourishing soup as the main dish for several meals during the week.
4. Use fresh foods in season. Cook most vegetables in a small amount of water; using only about one-half inch in a covered utensil.
5. Cut down your grocer's waste. Don't pinch fruits. Don't handle vegetables.
6. Serve smaller portions with the provision for seconds. Establish a rule for eating everything served.
7. Don't buy rationed foods for the sake of using stamps. Don't give away or trade stamps.

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

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**"If you could only see
the boys in camp"**



"If you could see them just once—lined up each night to telephone home—you wouldn't make another unnecessary call as long as this war lasts.

"For your unnecessary call may be the one that ties up a line and keeps their calls from going through.

"Remember—there are only so many Long Distance circuits and no way to build more.

"So please try not to use Long Distance in the only hours most boys are off—between 7 and 10 o'clock at night."

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

BUY WAR BONDS

POT SHOTS FROM McCARLLEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

Once again it will be good news to the boys in the armed forces to learn that once again McCaulley has gone over the top in our War Chest drive. Yes our quota was \$300 but something over \$344 was raised at the school house Tuesday night. The good ladies of the community furnished the pies and cakes—and did they sell high! Pies brought from a dollar to ten, cakes from six to twenty dollars. A big cup of coffee and a slice of cake sold as high as \$45. Yes this community had a real old time pie and box supper for the benefit of the boys in uniform, and too, the folks had a big time and you didn't have to listen closely to hear somebody say that they were glad to live in a community like McCaulley. Principal speakers were Guy Patterson of Rotan and Supt. Railback also of Rotan. Ed Mason and E. C. Waldrop were cashiers and the Pot-Shot Editor the auctioneer.

Cyril Brown of the Coast Guard and his wife are here for a few days leave visiting with parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Griffin. Cyril is stationed at present in Florida.

Elwood Kean of the U. S. Navy and his wife visited here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kean. Elwood is being transferred to the West Coast. He has been stationed for the past few months at Corpus Christi.

Sgt. Doyle Berry son of Mr.

FERGUSON THEATRE
ADMISSION—9c & 30c
Hamlin, Texas,

Friday Night

CHARLES BOYER
JOAN FONTAINE

"Constant Nymph"
ALSO COMEDY

Sat. matinee & Night
Two Big Features

"Destination Unknown"

Wm. GARGAN
IRENE HERVEY

"Hoppy Serves Writ"

"Hop-a-long Cassidy" BOYD
CARTOON COMEDY

SAT NIGHT PREVIEW 11:30

Sunday Matinee

AND NIGHT

SUN. Night Beginning 8:45
MONDAY NIGHT

Complete Show Begins 9:00

"Fives Graves To Cairo"

With FRANCHOT TONE

ANNE BAXTER

Also SELECTED SHORTS

Tuesday—Wed.

SPECIAL BARGAIN NIGHT

9c and 20c

"Reveille With Beverly"

With ANN MILLER

WILLIAM WRIGHT

Also SELECTED SHORTS

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LATEST NEWS REELS

Every Wednesday-Thursday

and Mrs. W. D. Berry, has landed back in the States after being on the high seas for several months. A wire to his parents told of his landing safely on the West Coast.

It is getting close to Christmas. How about your subscription to the Herald? Send the Pot-Shots man your dollar and we will see that the home town paper keeps coming to you.

Some men with families with two or three children are off to war and if the men folks play out there will be plenty of Pistol Packin' Mamas to take their places. Yes the Japs and Germans had better get ready to come marching in with their hands up.

About ten more days of pretty weather and cotton picking in these parts will slow down to a snail's pace. Still plenty dry and water haulers are on the move. (This information for the boys over there).

Folks who left McCaulley for California for the big wages are drifting back and they tell us that there is plenty of work and good wages there but living conditions are so high that they can make more back home or at least save more.

Home on a ten days leave is Pvt. James H. West from Chanute Field, Illinois. Pvt. West is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. West of McCaulley.

Messrs. J. W. and Monroe Maberry visited Mr. and Mrs. Nute Stephens last Sunday night.

Miss Johnie Lou White and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stephens were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Maberry last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Parker of Hamlin visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maberry last Friday.

Virgil Lawliss, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lawliss is home for a few days from Tech College at Lubbock. Virgil is to leave soon for the army.

All we know is what we read and get from observation and this week we are pretty blank, so no O'Gram until next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hulsey returned last week from Delrose, Tenn., where they had been for three weeks with Mr. Hulsey's father, who is very feeble at his age of 90 years.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warner this week end were Mrs. Retha Helms and children of Pampa and Cpl. Roland Hayes of Bowman Field, Ky.

Walter L. Cash left Tuesday for San Angelo where he will spend a few days. W. L. says he is going back to get patched up some more in the hospital.

Miss Margaret Sellers was at home from Texas Tech for a two days visit. She was accompanied by her room mate, Miss Dorothea Maegable of Muleshoe.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required By The Acts of Congress of August 24, 1912 and March 3, 1933.

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State of Texas,
County of Jones ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Bowen Pope, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner and publisher of The Hamlin Herald and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business manager is Bowen Pope, Hamlin, Texas.

2. That the owner is Bowen Pope, Hamlin, Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding - per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are none.

Bowen Pope
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of Nov., 1943.
(Seal) J. B. Eakin
(My commission expires June 1, 1945)

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POINT SAVERS

Buy 'em

Farm-Fresh

Not Rationed

Tokay Grapes 2 lbs. 25¢

Oranges Texas Juicy lb. 7¢

Grapefruit Texas Seedless lb. 6¢

Apples Washington Jonathan lb. 11¢

Potatoes California Burbank lb. 5¢

Tomatoes California Firm Slicers lb. 15¢

Rutabagas lb. 5¢

Fresh, Fancy

Red Cranberries

POUND

29¢



Green Beans
Tender, Stringless
Lb. 17¢

No. 1 Red Potatoes
Cook with Green Beans
Lb. 4¢

BUY MORE WAR BONDS!

Bread Julia Lee Wright's Enriched, Dated	24-Oz. Loaf 11c	Camay Toilet Soap	Reg. Bar 7¢
Vinegar Choice Distilled	Qt. Bot. 9¢	Lava Soap	Med. Bars 6¢
Ammonia Navy Blue	Qt. Bot. 18¢	Swan Soap	Reg. Bar 6¢
Lux Flakes	2 Small Pkgs. 19¢	Supersuds Concentrated	24-Oz. Pkg. 23¢
Lux Soap	Reg. Bar 7¢	Rinso Soap Powder	24-Oz. Pkg. 23¢

Marmalade Ma Brown 2-Lb. Jar 32¢

Pickles Harvest Brand Country Pickles Qt. Jar 31¢

Blue or Green Stamps

PINTO BEANS	Small Size Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg. 13¢	Points Per Pkg. 4
Great Beans Northern	2-Lb. Pkg. 21¢	Points Per Pkg. 4	Points Per Pkg. 4
Juice Sunny Dawn Tomato	18-Oz. Can 11¢	Points Per Can 3	Points Per Can 3
Peaches Highway Sliced	No. 2½ Pkg. 21¢	Points Per Can 27	Points Per Can 27
Catsup Red Hill Tomato	14-Oz. Bot. 15¢	Points Per Bot. 18	Points Per Bot. 18
Soup Campbell's Tomato	No. 1 Can 9¢	Points Per Can 3	Points Per Can 3

Brown Stamps G - H - J

Shortening Spry 1-Lb. Jar 25¢ Points Per Lb. 5

Margarine Sunnybank, Good Quality Lb. 17¢ Points Per Lb. 6

Cherub Milk Tall Can 9¢ Points Per Can 1

FRESH ROASTED AIRWAY COFFEE

Coffee Edwards Fine Quality	1-Lb. Bag 25¢	Points Per Lb. 7
Coffee Folger's Mountain Grown	1-Lb. Pkg. 31¢	Points Per Lb. 6
Coffee Admiration Fine Quality	1-Lb. Pkg. 31¢	Points Per Lb. 6
Post Toasties Breakfast Wheaties of Champions	11-Oz. Pkg. 9¢	Points Per Lb. 6
3-Minute Oats N. B. C. Premium	20-Oz. Pkg. 10¢	Points Per Lb. 6
Crackers	1-Lb. Pkg. 19¢	Points Per Lb. 6

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7 Points Per Lb.

5 Points Per Lb.

7 Points Per Lb.